

House Resolution No. 263

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding individual who has played an integral role in the educational development of countless Missouri youth; and

Whereas, Robert "Bob" Drummond, an esteemed resident of St. Louis, Missouri, will officially step down from the Pattonville School District Board of Education on April 2, 2002, after three decades of exceptional service and dedication; and

Whereas, Bob Drummond has worked tirelessly for public education in the Pattonville School District, St. Louis County, and the State of Missouri throughout his impressive tenure as Director, prior to which time he served the Board in the positions of President, Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer; and

Whereas, Bob Drummond has been instrumental in helping Pattonville to become the first district in the St. Louis area to establish an alternative high school, reconfigure from junior high schools to middle schools, open a choice elementary school, lower class sizes, offer full-day kindergarten to all students, reduce the drop-out rate, open the only full-service credit union at a high school in the state, and form a partnership to use methane gas from a nearby landfill to heat Pattonville High School; and

Whereas, Bob Drummond has compiled an enviable list of service to the St. Louis community through his active involvement with the Boy Scouts of America program, the Community Helping Ministry, the Pattonville Education Foundation, the Council for Educational Advancement, the Character Plus Program in St. Louis County, the Missouri School Boards Association, and the Special School District Governing Council, on which he has served since its inception; and

Whereas, Bob Drummond has been abundantly blessed with the love, support, and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, Peggy, and his two children, Nancy and Bob; and

Whereas, Bob Drummond will be honored for his many contributions to the Pattonville School District Board of Education during a special celebration and reception to be held March 6, 2002, in the Pattonville High School cafeteria:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Bob Drummond for his thirty years of unparalleled service to the Pattonville School District Board of Education, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Robert Drummond.

Offered by _____
Representative Christopher A. "Chris" Liese
District No. 85

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 263, adopted February 7, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker

